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SEMICONDUCTOR MATERIAL, THERMOELECTRIC MODULE USING  
THERMOELECTRIC SEMICONDUCTOR ELEMENT AND  
MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR SAME

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